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Response to Office Action

Sir:

Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow.

There are **no amendments to the Specification.**

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the complete listing of all pending claims, which begins at page 2.

Amendments to the Drawings can be found at page 8 of this paper include both the attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of the paper.